

# **Historic, Archive Document**

Do not assume content reflects current scientific knowledge, policies, or practices.



# Peacock's

## WHOLESALE TRADE LIST FOR SPRING OF 1900

LIBRARY  
J. S. Department of Agriculture.



**New Snow-white Show Dahlia, STORM KING (Blizzard).**

From photograph, taken on our farm, of a specimen plant in full bloom. Grown under our single-stem branching system, as described in the new book, "THE DAHLIA," by L. K. Peacock.

**I**N PRESENTING our new Wholesale Trade List for 1900, we wish to thank our friends and customers for their generous patronage in the past, and to assure them of our prompt and careful attention to all future favors.

**We make a specialty of Dahlias,** and have the largest and finest collection in America. Last season we grew over 35 acres of this "grand old garden favorite." In the last three years we have received

**78 FIRST PRIZES AND FIRST AWARDS,**

more than four times as many first prizes as were received by all our competitors combined—an unprecedented record.

**Our Dahlia Farm** is located at Atco, N. J., U. S. A., on the West Jersey and Seashore division of the Pennsylvania R. R., 19 miles from Philadelphia, Pa. We cordially invite all interested in Dahlias to visit our fields while they are in bloom, especially during the month of September, when field after field shows solid masses of exquisite color.

### TERMS, CASH WITH ORDER.

**Remittances** can be made by Post Office or Express Money Order, Bank Draft or Registered Letter at our risk, and on all orders amounting to \$3 or more, cost of remittance may be deducted from the amount of order.

**How to Ship.** Large orders for roots can be safely shipped by freight, though it is quicker to ship by express. Always state plainly if your order is to be shipped by freight or express.

**We guarantee safe arrival of all goods shipped by express.**

**Small parcels** weighing not over 40 ounces each can be sent prepaid by mail or express to California, or to any other part of the United States, at 8 cents per pound. Add 25 cents per dozen extra to cover postage or expressage, if so to be sent.



## SPECIAL NOTICE TO SEEDSMEN AND FLORISTS.

We do not sell at retail, but grow the finest and best Dahlias in large quantities for the wholesale trade, and make a specialty of supplying seedsmen and florists with large, well-ripened roots true to name. We make up catalogue collections with a range of colors and types, and guarantee satisfaction.

Our shipping facilities are unsurpassed; we can ship by freight over the Pennsylvania, the Reading, the Central Railroad of New Jersey, and the West Jersey and Seashore railroad systems.

By Express. We deliver goods to the United States, the Adams and the West Jersey Express Companies. Through their connection we reach everywhere, and we guarantee safe arrival.

Low express rates on plants and roots. We ship at the general special plant rate, which is 20 per cent lower than merchandise rate, and pack so as to protect from frost, yet carefully and lightly, so as to save excessive charges.

W. P. PEACOCK, Atco, New Jersey.

## Class I—Cactus Dahlias.

### NEW AND RARE CACTUS DAHLIAS.

The following collection embraces 18 of the very choicest true Cactus Dahlias selected from over a hundred of the newest introductions in Europe and America. These varieties are all strong growers and good bloomers. I can personally recommend them as one of the finest collections of Cactus Dahlias ever offered.

**BEATRICE MARTIN.** White, delicately tinged flesh; petals are not long, but twisted in a very irregular and elegant manner.

**BRIDESMAID.** Delicate shade of rose, passing toward the center to pale primrose; beautifully formed, very free-flowering. 40 cts. each.

**EARL OF PEMBROKE.** Bright plum, deeper and more velvety toward the center; petals long, pointed and regularly arranged. One of the best.

**HENRY STREDWICK.** Rich, velvety maroon; petals long and narrow. An exquisite flower.

**HENRY F. MICHELL.** Acknowledged to be one of the noblest. Of immense size, irregular form; petals long, broad and twisted; the colors range from soft yellow to deep orange-red. A beautiful variety, the shades and tints blending with perfect harmony.

**IONA.** A rich terra-cotta, shading to orange; a profuse bloomer, on long stems.

**JESSIE.** Palest pink, tinted lighter toward the center; a perfect flower, with long, finely pointed petals. 40 cts. each.

**JOHN H. ROACH.** Of medium size; full and perfect form, with pointed petals. The finest pure yellow Cactus Dahlia to date.

**JOHN WELCH.** Rich, glowing crimson; of largest size, with long, pointed petals; free-flowering, fine.

**MATCHLESS.** (True.) Rich, deep, velvety maroon, with long, pointed petals, and flowers thrown well above the foliage. One of the best very dark varieties. Awarded 22 first-class certificates.

NOTE.—In many cases the true Matchless is not sold, and we would caution every one to be careful and wary of cheap stock. In four instances we were given John Bragg for Matchless. We guarantee our stock to be the genuine certificated Matchless.

**MAYOR HASKINS.** The brightest glowing crimson; a large, bold flower of true Cactus type, resembling Gloriosa, but deeper in color.

**MRS. BENNETT.** Soft crimson; a large, well-built flower; petals are broad, but well curled, and show a very fine vein-like marking of a deeper tint.

**MISS ANNIE JONES.** Bright crimson-scarlet; petals long, narrow and much twisted; early and free.

**MRS. MONTEFIORE.** A splendid, rich, glowing crimson-scarlet, darker than above; beautiful twisted form. Throws its flowers well above the foliage.

**MRS. BARNES.** Long, twisted, narrow petals, of a lovely clear primrose, shading to palest rosy pink.

**MRS. GORDON SLOANE.** Bright, pinkish terra-cotta; very free, on long, erect stems.

**STARFISH.** The great sensation in Cactus Dahlias; considered the perfect type in form and habit. The flower is large and deeply built; petals long, and every one curled and pointed; the color is a pure orange-scarlet or coral-red without shading, and the flowers are borne on long, stiff stems, well above the foliage. 40 cts. each.

**THE QUEEN.** Truly rightly named. A pure snow-white Cactus Dahlia, with petals rather broader than some of the colored varieties, but beautifully pointed and twisted. It is an elegant flower; has long, stiff stems, which throw the flowers well above the foliage. Will be greatly used by florists and others as a cut-flower variety.



Type of Cactus Dahlia.

Price of all of above, 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz., except where noted; set of 18 for \$3.

STRONG POTTED PLANTS NOW READY.

## CACTUS DAHLIAS—GENERAL COLLECTION.

- Beauty of Arundel.** Glowing crimson, shaded with brilliant rose-purple; flowers full.
- Bertha Mauley.** Scarlet, overlaid crimson purple; beautifully twisted petals.
- Blanche Keith.** Beautiful pure yellow; of largest size; twisted petals.
- Countess of Radnor.** Delicate salmon-rose; petals twisted and curled; very pretty.
- Countess of Gosford.** Long, curling petals; crimson, shading to old-gold at center; distinct.
- Delicata.** A beautiful true Cactus variety. Light salmon at base of petals, gradually shading off to a delicate pink.
- Ernest Glasse.** A rich purplish magenta, of true Cactus form; has long stems.
- Ernest Cannell.** Large, well shaped flowers of true Cactus form; a distinct shade of soft red, deepening toward the center; bushy habit; distinct.
- Gloriosa.** Medium to large size, with long, narrow, twisted petals; deep, bright red, shaded scarlet.
- Henry Cannell.** Dark, rich crimson; of fine form, with pointed petals.
- Juarez.** Original Cactus Dahlia. Deep scarlet-crimson.
- Lady H. Grosvenor.** Golden amber; of true Cactus type.
- Lady Penzance.** Pure yellow; long, twisted petals.
- May Pictor.** A fine yellow; pointed petals.
- Miss Violet Morgan.** Cream and fawn, shading to delicate pink. A very pretty flower.
- Mrs. Glasse.** Very dark crimson.
- Mrs. Peart.** A true Cactus variety. Creamy white; entirely distinct.
- Mrs. Francis Fell.** White, tinted pink; long, pointed petals; very free.
- Professor Baldwin.** Deep orange-scarlet; fine.
- Robert Cannell.** Rich magenta, with a bluish tinge towards the tips of the petals.
- St. Catherine.** True Cactus, with long, spiral, pointed petals; very large; deep yellow, shaded red.
- Viscountess Folkestone.** Primrose, shading to sulphur-yellow at the center; pointed petals; a profuse bloomer.

Price, strong field roots, 10 cts. each, \$1 per doz., \$8 per 100; strong plants, 8 cts. each, 80 cts. per doz., \$6 per 100; set of 22 Cactus Dahlias for \$1.90.



New Dahlias—Cactus types predominating.

## Class II—Decorative Dahlias.

### NEW DECORATIVE DAHLIAS.

- ADMIRAL DEWEY.** Brilliant imperial purple. Of fine form; a strong grower, and by far the best of its class. Price, strong field roots, 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.; strong plants, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.
- XANTHIA.** A noble decorative variety, often measuring 6 inches across; color deep, bright crimson, slightly suffused maroon; each petal is either tipped or banded through the center with royal purple. One of the most distinct and striking in this beautiful section. Price, roots, 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.; plants, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

## DECORATIVE DAHLIAS—GENERAL COLLECTION.

- Amphion.** Fine, large, amber-yellow.
- Antietam.** Large, perfect form; intense red.
- Asia.** White, suffused lavender.
- Black Beauty.** A grand dark maroon variety of distinct form and great beauty.
- Beauty of Brentwood.** A tall-growing purple; free.
- Bronze Cactus.** A very strong grower, early and profuse bloomer; flowers medium to large, buff-yellow, overlaid and penciled reddish bronze, tipped red. A very rich flower, and best of this type.
- Black Prince.** The best of its type. Flowers large, of perfect form, and full to the center; color intense velvety maroon, almost black.
- Celestine.** Yellow, suffused with orange.
- Clifford W. Bruton.** The best yellow; of immense size, perfect form and of the finest canary yellow. A tall, vigorous grower and extremely free bloomer. Should be in every collection.
- Constasy.** Rich reddish amber, shaded bronze, sometimes tipped white; of fine form and full.
- Crimson Giant.** Immense flowers; crimson, shaded maroon.
- Dr. Whitesides.** Very large, of fine form; a beautiful tint of white that is very effective.
- Dr. Masters.** A fine, delicate pink variety, very highly recommended by many growers; entirely distinct from *Nymphæa*.
- Empress of India.** Deep crimson-maroon.
- Fire Flame.** Orange-buff, edged and flamed scarlet.
- Gloriana.** Purest yellow, of medium size and extremely free; dwarf.
- Grand Duke Alexis.** A magnificent flower of largest size and distinctly unique form, as the petals are rolled up so that the edges overlap each other. The color is pure white, distinctly tinged delicate pink, thus giving a daintiness and grace to what would otherwise be a large, stiff flower.
- Harry Freeman.** Large; free; pure white.
- Honor.** Very large; yellow, suffused red.



## DECORATIVE DAHLIAS—GENERAL COLLECTION, continued.

- Henry Patrick.** A superb pure white variety, of large size, and borne on long stems; fine for cutting.
- Iridescent.** (Red and Blue.) Most beautiful of all when well grown. Orange-red, overlaid and edged pure blue; very profuse bloomer.
- John Bragg.** Richest velvety maroon.
- Jumbo.** Very large; scarlet crimson; richly shaded.
- John Elitch.** Large, perfectly formed, and of a deep, rich red. A tall grower, and blooms rather late.
- Kynerith.** A magnificent bright red, richly shaded.
- Mrs. Masham.** Fine, large; reddish salmon.
- Lancelot.** Fine, large; reddish amber.
- Lucius Crammock.** A fine purplish red variety.
- Maid of Kent.** Cherry-red, tipped white; sometimes a solid color, when it is a superb red.
- Mrs. Hawkins.** Rich sulphur, beautifully shaded.
- Marchioness of Bute.** Very pretty; pure white, heavily tipped deep pink.
- Mattie Serrapin.** Large; deep; salmon; fine.
- Miss Barry.** Large, full to the center, and of beautiful color—deep rosy lake; petals twisted.
- Mrs. A. Newhall.** Distinct. Deep red, shaded maroon.
- Mrs. Geo. Reed.** Pure white, beautifully edged and flaked soft rosy lake; the petals overlap each other, and are deeply cleft.
- Miss Jennings.** Fawn, shaded salmon-pink.
- Mrs. E. C. Monroe.** Large; pale yellow; perfect form and profuse bloomer.
- Nymphæa.** By far the most delicately beautiful Dahlia ever introduced; more extensively grown for cut-flowers than all others combined. The flowers are of medium to large size, always full to the center, resembling the ideal pink water-lily. The color is a clear, distinct, light shrimp-pink, tinted lighter toward the center.
- Oban.** Very large; rosy lavender, suffused and overlaid silvery fawn.
- Red and Black.** A new and entirely distinct combination. Deep, glowing crimson, heavily margined jet black; as the flower fully opens the crimson changes to deep wine-red and the margin to black-maroon; the flowers are of beautiful form. One of the most striking and effective of all Dahlias.
- Robert Maher.** Very large, of fine form; a fine combination of yellow and red shades.



Clifford W. Bruton. (See page 3.)

Price of all of above, strong field roots, 10 cts. each, \$1 per doz., \$8 per 100; strong plants, 8 cts. each, 80 cts. per doz., \$6 per 100; set of 50 varieties for \$3.75.

## Class III—Fancy Dahlias.

### NEW AND RARE VARIETIES.

Embracing the choicest novelties and older sorts of merit that are not in general use.

- DANDY** (English). Orange, beautifully striped with crimson.
- EMIN PASHA.** Yellow, heavily striped and splashed with crimson. Grand fancy flower.
- GEO. BARNES.** Rich lilac, striped with crimson.
- JOHN FORBES.** Fawn color, striped with maroon.
- LADY ARLINGTON.** Dark, velvety crimson, each petal heavily tipped with white; a full, round flower, with high center. One of the very finest of the fancy section, and always true to its type. 40 cts. each.

**Rayon d'Or.** Rich orange, striped white; sometimes one solid color; very striking.

**Sidney Hollings.** Very large flowers of deep maroon, shaded black, sometimes flamed crimson-purple; of fine form.

**Sir Trevor Lawrence.** Brilliant glowing crimson.

**Sundew.** Bright orange-salmon.

**True Model.** Rightly named; of perfect form; color buff, overlaid and suffused reddish bronze; new and distinct. The bronzy Dahlias are very rich in effect, and always admired.

**Wilhelm Miller.** An exquisite shade of brilliant purple; extremely free; flowers large and distinct.

**William Agnew.** Finest red ever introduced. Of intense, glistening scarlet-crimson; immense size, perfect form, and always a mass of color.

**Wm. Pierce.** Rich, butter-yellow; a favorite variety.

**Yellow A. W. Tait.** Deep, pure yellow; of true chrysanthemum form, with long fringed petals.

**Zulu.** Rightly named "the Black Dahlia." Jet-black, changing to black-maroon as the flowers fully expand. Of fine form and full to the center.

### NEW AND RARE FANCY DAHLIAS, continued.

**MATTHEW CAMPBELL.** Bright buff or apricot, beautifully striped with crimson; fine petal and outline.

**MRS. N. HALL.** Bright scarlet, tipped white. Very showy.

**PELICAN.** White, striped with purple.

**PRINCE HENRY.** Lilac, with bright purple stripes; large and distinct.

**S. MORTIMER.** Deep rose, striped crimson; large flower.

**STANLEY.** Yellow, finely striped with scarlet; very effective and good.

Price of above, 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz., except where noted; set of 11 for \$1.90.

### FANCY DAHLIAS— SELECT STANDARD LIST.

Three Dozen of the Best.

**Admiration.** Small; red, tipped white.

**American Flag.** Pure white, striped crimson.

**Arrah No Pogue.** Large; maroon, tipped white.

**Adventure.** White, striped with purple.

**Ben Butler.** Rich maroon, tipped pure white; medium size, always perfect, very fine.

**Chang.** Very large; salmon-buff, striped crimson.

**Decorator.** White, suffused pink, spotted and penciled with crimson.

**Edith Connor.** Outer petals rosy pink, inner petals rich rosy red.

**Elegans.** Rosy purple, tipped and banded white; quilled petals.

**Ethel.** Very large; yellow, tipped white.

**Fanny Sturt.** Large; red and white.

**Fern-leaved Beauty.** A beautiful fern-leaved variety; white, striped deep crimson.

**Frank Goodman.** Dark, rich purple, tipped white. An odd and pretty Dahlia; one of the most distinct sorts.

**Frank Smith.** Rich, dark, purplish maroon, tipped pinkish white. A superb flower.

**General Grant.** Very large; yellow, suffused amber, striped crimson.

**Hercules.** Very large; deep scarlet, lightly penciled yellow.

**Jarkosky.** A beautiful mottled variety; crimson, yellow and white; medium size; of fine form; always full to the center; profuse bloomer.

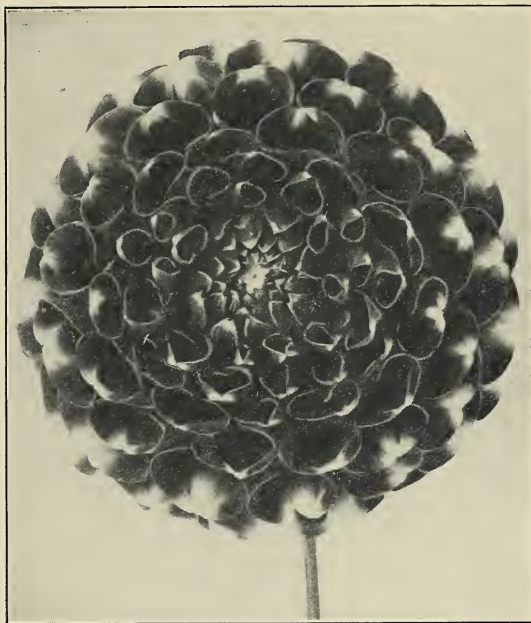
**Keystone.** Pink, striped crimson; large; fine.

**Leiberheimer.** Crimson, tipped white.

**Lady Jane Ellis.** White, suffused pink, veined purple.

**Lottie Eckford.** White, spotted and striped pink and crimson.

Price, strong field roots, 10 cts. each, \$1 per doz., \$8 per 100. After these are exhausted we supply vigorous growing plants at 9 cts. each, 80 cts. per doz., \$6 per 100.



Lady Arlington. (See opposite page.)

**Lucy Fawcett.** Light yellow, striped rosy magneta.

**Mildred.** Small; very profuse flowering; scarlet, tipped white.

**Miss Browning.** Of exquisite form; pure yellow, tipped pure white.

**Mrs. Stancombe.** A peculiar and pleasing Fancy Dahlia. Straw, suffused amber, striped red; mottled and tipped pinkish white.

**Picotee.** White, veined and penciled purple.

**Penelope.** White, tided lavender. This is the most beautiful and chaste; of perfect form, always full to the center; a profuse bloomer on long stems. One of the best for cutting.

**Prince Alexander.** Pink, striped and penciled dark red.

**Rose Blanche.** Deep rose, tipped French white.

**Rev. C. W. Bolton.** Straw, suffused amber, striped crimson, sometimes solid crimson; a fine flower. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

**S. Sickman.** Dark maroon, with fringed petals tipped white.

**Sunbeam.** Rich crimson, shaded maroon, tipped pinkish white.

**Striped Banner.** Crimson scarlet, tipped white.

**Thos. Westcott.** Small; profuse blooming; red, tipped white.

**Uncertainty.** Varies from white marbled blush and carmine to solid crimson-maroon on the same plant, with intermediate variegations.

## CARNATIONS.

Only a few of the very best varieties, but we have them in large quantities. Strong, well-rooted plants in flats, which are worth twice as much as cuttings from the sand.

**MELBA.** The most beautiful delicate pink; flowers of fine form, with good, strong calyx and fine, long stems. A constant bloomer; one of the very best. \$4 per 100, \$30 per 1,000.

**VICTOR.** Bright pink sport of Daybreak; very large flowers with long, strong, heavy stems. A free-bloomer, and holds its color splendidly after hot weather sets in. \$2 per 100, \$15 per 1,000.

**FLORA HILL.** The most profitable all-round white; blooms the very earliest, and holds up to the last. Largest size and long stems. \$1.50 per 100, \$10 per 1,000.

**JUBILEE.** Richest shade of deep scarlet; very sweet-scented. Flowers large; calyx good; a strong, vigorous grower and free bloomer; fine stems. \$2 per 100, \$15 per 1,000.



## Class IV—Show Dahlias.

### NEW AND RARE VARIETIES.

**STORM KING** (Blizzard), New Snow-white Show Dahlia. A companion for the superb pink Dahlia, A. D. Livoni. This superior variety is an extremely early, profuse and constant bloomer, a strong, vigorous grower of dwarf, branching habit, and produces its flowers on long stems. In fact, it combines all the good qualities of A. D. Livoni with an earlier-blooming habit and the production of twice as many flowers on longer stems. The flowers are snow-white, of perfect form, and full to the center. As a cut-flower variety, it is the florist's ideal, while for grouping or as a specimen plant (see illustration on first page of a specimen plant in full bloom), it is far ahead of any other White Show Dahlia. Strong plants, ready April 15, 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

**FOLIIS VARIEGATIS.** The new variegated-leaved Dahlia. The first and only variegated-leaved Dahlia to succeed in America. It has received great attention at various exhibitions. The plant is a free grower, of branching habit. The leaves are bright, glossy green, heavily margined and tipped creamy white, edged red. It is the most valuable variegated-leaved plant in cultivation, and should be in every collection. It is of easiest cultivation, and being a tender perennial, the roots are simply lifted, stored away for the winter, and planted out in the spring. Thus its position can be changed each year. Unlike other varieties, you do not need to bloom it, for it is always beautiful. When in bloom, the large double white, amber and magenta blended flowers show off the plants to greater advantage. Strong roots, 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

**BURGUNDY.** Purple-maroon, flamed crimson.

**BEAUTY OF THE RHINE.** White, shading to soft pink.

**CAROL.** An exquisite new Dahlia of medium size; pure white, delicately flushed rose; long stems; unvaluable for cutting.

**CLARA.** Rosy peach, large and constant.

**CLIENT.** Large; deep, velvety crimson; very fine.

**CONSTANCY.** Very large. Yellow, edged and tipped bright red. A grand exhibition variety.

**EMILY EDWARDS.** White, suffused pink; beautiful.

**ETHEL BRITTON.** Large; pink and white.

**HENRY WALTON.** Yellow, deeply edged crimson.

**MISS MAY LOMAS.** Large; free and delicate; pure white, suffused soft lavender; one of the best.

**MRS. DODD.** Immense size; deep rose and lavender.

**PURITY.** A beautiful new white; fine form.

**SIR CHAS. MILLS.** A glistening golden salmon.

**SUNBEAMS.** Pure yellow, edged scarlet.

**W. H. WILLIAMS.** Large; deep crimson; one of the best.

**WHITE SWAN.** Pure white; on long stems; strong, vigorous grower.

**WILLIE CARRETT.** Richest crimson-scarlet; perfect form; a profuse bloomer and a good companion to Storm King. The best deep scarlet.

Price, 12 cts. each, \$1.20 per doz., \$10 per 100, except where noted; strong plants on roots according to stock; set of 19 varieties, including STORM KING, \$2.25.

### SHOW DAHLIAS—GENERAL COLLECTION.

This collection has been selected from over a thousand varieties, and can be relied upon.

**A. D. Livoni.** Beautiful soft pink, with quilled petals and full to the center; an early and profuse bloomer.

**Adolph Pfefferhorn.** Large; purplish crimson.

**Amazon.** Yellow, edged and tipped bright red; effective.

**Apollo.** Dark crimson, tipped white.

**Arabella.** An early and profuse-flowering variety, of large size and perfect form; color pale primrose, tipped and shaded old rose and lavender. One of the loveliest of this section.

**Armorer.** Deep red; of fine form, dwarf, and a profuse bloomer.

**Beauty.** Snow-white; of perfect form; fine.

**Black Dwarf.** Crimson, shaded maroon.

**Blumenfalter.** Rosy lavender, densely quilled.

**Bird of Passage.** White, tipped red-pink.

**Buff-pink.** Sulphur, tipped peach-pink, edged imperial purple.

**Canary.** Clear, bright canary-yellow; fine.

**Captain Jack.** Dark, rich red, shaded maroon.

**Cordelia.** Dwarf; pale golden yellow, edged red; of large size and full, round form.

**Country Lad.** Large, rich sulphur-yellow, tipped pink, edged darker; dwarf and profuse.

**Crimson Ball.** Bright crimson-purple; fine.

**Cupid.** Crimson, shaded purple.

**Dawn.** Large; yellow, suffused orange.

**Density.** The petals are so densely arranged that they will last, when cut, longer than any other Dahlia. They are artistically cleft, resembling a fringed ball; the color is a deep pink.

**Diadem.** Very dark, rich crimson; of fine form.

**Duchess of Cambridge.** White, suffused pink, tipped and edged shades of purple.

**Duke of Bulgaria.** Very bright scarlet.

**Earl of Ravenswood.** A pleasing combination of white and lavender.

**Eclipse.** Brilliant scarlet; fine.

**Eldorado.** Purple, tipped darker; large and fine.

**Emily.** One of the best; varies from rosy lavender to white, suffused lavender. A large, beautiful and striking flower.

**Ernest Krebig.** White, suffused pink, tipped crimson.

**Fascination.** Large; white, suffused lavender.

**Geo. Smith.** Fine, large, of perfect form; crimson.

**German Boy.** Large, yellow suffused scarlet.

**Germania Nova.** Deep pink; serrated petals.

**Gloire de Lyon.** Largest of all pure whites.

**Golden Ball.** Pale golden yellow; very large.

**Harrison Weir.** A pleasing combination of sulphur and red shades.

**Hector.** Large; orange-scarlet. Identical with King of '91.

**Herbert Turner.** White, suffused blush-pink.

**Helen Potter.** White, overlaid rosy lavender.

**Hope.** White, veined and tipped purple.

**Honest John.** An attractive and distinctly unique variety. Brilliant purple-maroon, richly shaded; often mottled with deep, velvety, black petals; plant dwarf, symmetrical and profuse.

**James Vick.** Dark, rich purple; profuse blooming; has fine form and long stems.

**James Stephens.** Large; orange-scarlet.

**James Cocker.** A pleasing crimson-purple.

**Japan Pink.** Large, deep pink, with fringed petals resembling a chrysanthemum.

**John Walker.** Fine; large, pure white, of perfect form; always full to center; best exhibition white.

**J. C. Vaughan.** Deep yellow, sometimes shaded red.

**John Bennett.** Clear yellow, heavily tipped bright orange-scarlet.

**John Sladden.** Darkest maroon, almost black; a superb flower.




## SHOW DAHLIAS—GENERAL COLLECTION, continued.

**King of Dwarfs.** Dwarf; purple-maroon.  
**Lady G. Herbert.** White, tipped deep purple.  
**La France.** Soft, rosy lavender; large, profuse blooming.  
**Mary D. Hallock.** A fine yellow-quilled variety.  
**Maid of Orleans.** White, suffused purple, edged bright purple.  
**Marchioness of Bath.** Straw, edged pink.  
**May Oakleigh.** Of medium size; deep lilac; a profuse bloomer; has long stems.  
**Margaret Bell.** Very large; soft purple.  
**Margaret Bruant.** Dwarf and free; pure white.  
**Miss Florence Shearer.** A lovely new show variety; clear, soft lilac, edged lighter.  
**Miss Dodd.** Dwarf; large; pure yellow.  
**Miss Valentine.** New; large; deep lavender-pink; a strong, free grower.  
**Miss Cannell.** Large, with long, graceful stems. White, suffused and heavily tipped crimson-purple.  
**Mrs. David Saunders.** White, tipped crimson-lavender; of fine form.  
**Mrs. Dexter.** Very large; a rich shade of salmon; best of its color.  
**Mrs. Hodgeson.** Primrose, edged purple.  
**Mrs. Gladstone.** One of the finest exhibition varieties. Delicate shell-pink; of fine texture.  
**Mrs. Langtry.** Another fine exhibition variety. Cream-peach and purple; excellent form.  
**Model of Perfection.** Fine rosy lavender; an extremely profuse bloomer; flowers long-stemmed.  
**Mrs. Kendall.** White, heavily tipped rosy purple.  
**Mr. Glasscock.** A fine, deep crimson.  
**Nero.** Dark crimson-maroon.  
**Orlando.** Buff, shaded old gold, edged darker. Large, of fine form.

**Psyche.** Pale primrose, shaded rose; a dwarf branching plant, and one of the most profuse bloomers. An ideal bedder.  
**Priscilla.** Quilled; yellow, tipped scarlet.  
**Prince Bismarck.** Very large; deep, rich purple.  
**Paul of Paisley.** Deep rich pink; fine form.  
**Paul's Scarlet.** Brightest scarlet.  
**President.** White, edged lavender-pink; fine.  
**Princess Bonnie.** A fine large white.  
**Pluton.** Large; clear, soft, creamy yellow.  
**Queen Victoria.** Deep yellow; finely quilled.  
**Queen of Beauties.** Clear, rich sulphur, suffused old gold.  
**Queen of Yellows.** A beautiful clear yellow.  
**Ruby Queen.** Ruby red, richly shaded; fine, large flowers on long stems; profuse flowering.  
**Red Head.** Dwarf, very large; deep red.  
**R. T. Rawlings.** Very fine, large; pure yellow.  
**Ruth.** Pure white, sometimes tinged blush.  
**Saturn.** Dark crimson; has serrated petals; fine.  
**Sport.** Pure lavender; of perfect form.  
**Snow.** Snow-white; profuse bloomer.  
**Snowdrift.** Pure white; large; has long stems.  
**Shirley Hibbard.** Buff-yellow, edged crimson.  
**Thomas White.** Darkest velvety maroon.  
**Thomas Hobbs.** A fine, large purple.  
**Triomphe de Solferino.** Dwarf; bright solferino; very large. A good bedder.  
**Topsy.** A pleasing red.  
**Verdiflora.** (Green Dahlia.) Absolutely green flowers; a great curiosity, a single plant sometimes having a hundred perfect, double, green flowers at one time; **blooms best on poor soil.**  
**White Dove.** Pure white; long stems; fine.  
**Wm. Raulings.** Large; dark purple.  
**Yellow Standard.** A fine, pure yellow.

Price, strong field-grown roots, 10 cts. each, \$1 per doz., \$8 per 100; strong plants, 8 cts. each, 80 cts. per doz., \$6 per 100; set of 97 varieties for \$8.25.

 Our strong, well-grown plants will bloom equally as well as roots. Plants will be sent in all cases after roots are exhausted, and extras added.

## Class V—Pompon Dahlias.

Our Pompon Dahlias are acknowledged to be the finest in cultivation. The following collection is selected from several hundred varieties.

**Achilles.** Beautifully formed; pure pink.  
**Alwine.** White, flushed pink; fine.  
**Aillett's Imperial.** White, suffused pink, tipped imperial purple; always perfectly formed.  
**Allie Mourey.** A very pretty Pompon, of fine form and good habit; pinkish white, tipped deep pink; small, compact flowers.  
**Ariel.** A pleasing salmon-buff.  
**Catherine.** The best pure yellow; of fine form, full to the center, and borne on long stems.  
**Crimson Beauty.** Beautiful crimson.  
**Capt. Boynton.** A fine, deep crimson, shaded.  
**Dora.** A beautiful primrose; profuse blooming.  
**E. F. Jungker.** A rich shade of amber.  
**Elfin.** New. A dainty little flower; pale primrose, changing to creamy white; full and free.  
**Fairy Queen.** Light sulphur-yellow, edged deep peach; beautiful flowers of perfect form, produced on long stems in endless profusion; excellent for cutting. Awarded first prize medal for any color Pompon except white, by American Dahlia Society.  
**Fairy Tales.** Free blooming; delicate primrose.  
**Fanny Weiner.** White, tipped rich crimson.  
**Guiding Star.** Pure white; a great favorite.  
**Golden Bedder.** Golden-yellow, edged orange; very dwarf; profuse bloomer.  
**Gold Perle.** Bright red, tipped yellow. A distinct and pleasing combination.  
**Iseult.** Smallest of all; profuse; pure yellow.  
**Hedwig Pollig.** Scarlet and white; very fine.  
**Juliet.** Yellow and orange; beautiful.  
**Klein Domatia.** Salmon-buff; profuse; fine.  
**Little Bessie.** Cream-white; quilled petals.


**Little Beatrice.** Profuse-flowering; pink.  
**Ladies' Jewel.** Pinkish white, tipped purple.  
**Leila.** Flesh, mottled and suffused rich crimson, sometimes a solid light color, at others dark.  
**Little Diavola.** Pink, tipped crimson maroon.  
**Little Frank.** Light yellow, edged carmine.  
**Little Philip.** White, tipped purple-maroon, sometimes solid maroon.  
**Little Lucy.** Small; bright orange-red.  
**Little Valentine.** Fine, bright purple-maroon.  
**Little Joseph.** Yellow, tipped deep, rich crimson.  
**Little Prince.** Red, tipped pinkish white, sometimes mottled deep crimson and shaded maroon; of perfect shape; an early and profuse bloomer; plant strong and vigorous.  
**Miss Lou Kramer.** Base of petals yellow, heavily tipped clear, bright crimson, overlaid bright pink; semi-quilled, reflex fawn. A very pleasing variety, and full to the center up to the last.  
**Mignon.** Deep, rich crimson.  
**Mattie Mourey.** A fine shade of lavender.  
**Prince Charming.** White, penciled, suffused and heavily tipped purple-pink; a strong grower, of good form, and blooms until frost.  
**Red Piper.** Small; deep red; fine form.  
**Rosalie.** Yellow, tipped crimson; of good form.  
**Royalty.** Golden yellow, tipped dark, gli-tening crimson; profuse bloomer.  
**Sappho.** Very dark, velvety maroon, beautifully veined and tipped blush; flowers are sometimes solid blush and solid dark; petals have beautiful fringed edges.  
**Snowclad.** The finest white Pompon to date.

## POMPON DAHLIAS, continued.

**Spring.** Rich buff-yellow, beautifully shaded and tipped bright red-pink and imperial purple.  
**Sunshine.** One of the best scarlet Pompons. Of perfect shape, fine form, and a very free bloomer.  
**Tommy Keith.** Dark scarlet, tipped white; flowers perfect; a free bloomer; one of the best.  
**Teddy.** White, tipped pink.  
**Vivid.** Bright, deep crimson-scarlet.

**Variegatum.** Small flowers. Varies from crimson-maroon and purple to pink-white.  
**Vashti.** Yellow, tipped red; fine.  
**Virginale.** Small, ball-shaped flowers of rich, creamy white; fine variety, of strong growth.  
**Whisper.** Clear yellow, edged with gold; blooms continuously.  
**Yellow Bird.** Pure yellow; profuse-blooming.

Price, field-grown roots, 10 cts. each, \$1 per doz., \$8 per 100; strong plants, 8 cts. each, 80 cts. per doz., \$6 per 100; set of 51 varieties for \$4.25.

 After roots are exhausted, plants will be sent and extra plants added for difference in price.

## Class VI—Single Dahlias.

### NEW AND RARE VARIETIES.

**ADA.** A beautiful soft shade of pink, lightly penciled bright crimson. A profuse bloomer, on long stems.  
**ANNETTA.** Pure white, spotted and veined pink and crimson; distinct yellow disc.  
**ASTEROIDES.** Now offered for the first time. Color pure white, margined rich crimson-yellow.  
**CLEOPATRA.** Deep, velvety crimson; a beautiful flower of medium size; free.  
**ECLIPSE.** Rich, scarlet crimson, orange at base of petals.  
**LITTLE DOROTHY.** Constantly covered with large, long-stemmed flowers. Shades of straw, suffused pink, spotted, penciled and striped with deep crimson.

**MAY KAMERLY.** White, tinged pink, and heavily spotted and striped with bright scarlet and crimson; plant dwarf, and a profuse bloomer.  
**MRS. CULLINGSFORD.** A strong, vigorous grower; rich, deep pink; fine form and a free bloomer.  
**MRS. BOWMAN.** Very large; dark, velvety purple.  
**NEW BRILLIANT.** Bright yellow, striped crimson-scarlet.  
**NOVELTY.** (The Fragrant Dahlia.) Bright pink, spotted, penciled and striped deep, rich crimson. Fine form and a strong, dwarf grower; good stems.  
**POLLY ECCLES.** Satin fawn, with red disc around center; very distinct and pretty.

Price, strong plants, 12 cts. each; set of 12 for \$1.25.

### SINGLE DAHLIAS—GENERAL COLLECTION.

Embracing only distinct colors and free-bloomers. Single Dahlias are again coming to the front for bouquets, and they make beautiful blooming plants.

**Annie Hughes.** Bright sulphur, purple disc.  
**Corinne.** Bright orange-scarlet, striped yellow, sometimes solid scarlet.  
**Cloth of Gold.** A large, light yellow.  
**C. E. Varnum.** Very large; red, tipped lighter.  
**Dearest.** Pure yellow, tipped and striped white.  
**Enchantment.** Pretty combination of red and yellow.  
**Fashion.** One of the best high-colored sorts; crimson-maroon, flamed purple; light disc.  
**Fern-leaved.** Red, with fern-like foliage.  
**Harold.** Dark maroon, almost black.  
**Isaac Pitman.** Fine, large purple.  
**Irene.** Flowers small; white, suffused bright pink, spotted and striped deep crimson; scarlet disc.  
**Jumbo.** Very large; pale yellow, suffused amber, penciled and striped bright red.  
**Juno.** White, tipped lavender; yellow disc.  
**John Cowan.** A very fine, rich scarlet.

**John Downie.** Intense glowing crimson-scarlet.  
**John Hummerstein.** Dark velvety crimson.  
**Kate.** Intense orange-crimson-maroon.  
**Kupperfalter.** Orange and purple.  
**Luxury.** Ground color orange, shading to crimson and maroon, striped pale yellow; distinct.  
**Mrs. L. C. Bassett.** Maroon, striped lilac.  
**Miss Roberts.** A fine, large yellow.  
**Miss Sperati.** Large; cardinal to crimson.  
**Marginata.** White, margined dark, rich crimson.  
**Nance.** Large; a lovely shade of lavender.  
**Painted Lady.** Crimson-pink, striped darker.  
**Paragon.** Black-maroon, edged purple.  
**Seratipetala.** Bright red; petals cleft at the tips.  
**Snow Queen.** Best pure white; single.  
**Sunningdale White.** Rich, creamy white.  
**Titan.** Very large; bright orange-scarlet.  
**Yellow Gem.** A deep golden yellow.

Price, field-grown roots, 10 cts. each, \$1 per doz., \$8 per 100; strong plants, 8 cts. each, 80 cts. per doz., \$6 per 100; set of 31 for \$2.50.

### DOUBLE DAHLIAS UNDER COLOR.

**Red, Yellow, Pink, Purple, Maroon, Salmon, Red and White, and Blended shades.** All of the preceding colors, good strong divided roots, 6 cts. each, 60 cts. per doz., \$4 per 100; large clumps, 8 cts. each, 80 cts. per doz., \$6 per 100; very large clumps, 10 cts. each, \$1 per doz., \$8 per 100.  
**All colors mixed.** \$3 to \$5 per 100.

**SINGLE DAHLIAS.** Mixed colors, extra-fine strain. 6 cts. each, 60 cts. per doz., \$4 per 100.

### SPECIAL PRICES QUOTED ON LARGE QUANTITIES.

We are the largest growers of Dahlias in the world, and have the largest and most complete collection. It will pay you to visit or write us before placing your orders elsewhere.

Address always—

W. P. PEACOCK, Atco, New Jersey.